

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: JOHN KENNETH AMICK

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SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION

EXAMINER:

FILED: HEREWITH

FOR: A VIRTUAL VOICE/COMPANY/OFFICE NETWORK TOOL KIT...

REQUEST FOR PRIORITY

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

- ☐ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Application PCT Application No.\_\_\_\_ filed\_\_\_\_, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §120.
- ☒ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Provisional Application Serial Number 60/130,650 , filed 04/23/99 , is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119(e).
- ☐ Applicants claim any right to priority from any earlier filed applications to which they may be entitled pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119, as noted below.

In the matter of the above-identified application for patent, notice is hereby given that the applicants claim as priority:

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>APPLICATION NUMBER</u>	<u>MONTH/DAY/YEAR</u>
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Certified copies of the corresponding Convention Application(s)

- ☐ is submitted herewith
- ☐ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee
- ☐ was filed in prior application.
- ☐ were submitted to the International Bureau in PCT Application Number  
Receipt of the certified copies by the International Bureau in a timely manner under PCT Rule 17.1(a) has been acknowledged as evidenced by the attached PCT/IB/304.
- ☐ (A) Application Serial No.(s) were filed in prior application Serial No. filed ; and  
(B) Application Serial No.(s)
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PATENT APPLICATION  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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Title

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)

☒ Specification

Total Pages **51**

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets **10**

4. ☒ Oath or Declaration

Total Pages **2**

- a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)  
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with box 15 completed)  
i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named  
in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)(2) and  
1.33(b).

5. ☐ **Incorporation By Reference** (usable if box 4B is checked)  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the  
oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4B, is considered to be part  
of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby  
incorporated by reference therein.

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**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

6. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) (3)  
7. ☐ 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney  
8. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)  
9. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations  
10. ☐ Preliminary Amendment  
11. ☒ White Advance Serial No. Postcard  
12. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application. Status still proper and desired.  
13. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)  
14. ☒ Other: **REQUEST FOR PRIORITY**

15. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no.:

Prior application information: Examiner:

Group Art Unit:

16. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

☐ This application is a ☐ Continuation ☐ Division ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)  
of application Serial No. Filed on

☒ This application claims priority of provisional application Serial No. 60/130,650 Filed April 23, 1999

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